

Bryan Morning Eagle

THIRTEENTH YEAR

BRYAN, TEXAS, THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 11, 1908

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O. H. P. BELMONT DIES.

Succumbs to Appendicitis Operation and Peritonitis.

New York, June 10.—O. H. P. Belmont died at his home at Hempstead, L. I., at 6:34 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Mr. Belmont had been seriously ill less than two weeks, but his condition was not such as to cause alarm until appendicitis developed June 1. Previous to Saturday, although the day was rainy and the air raw, he went down to Belmont park to witness the

running of the Belmont stakes. At that time he appeared to have suffered no ill effects from exposure and enjoyed the sport thoroughly.

When his physicians called on Monday, however, and diagnosed his illness as appendicitis they found his heart in such condition that there was much hesitation before they decided to operate.

On Thursday, however, it became apparent that the only hope for recovery lay in the operation. He rallied nicely after the operation and it was believed he would make good recovery. On Tuesday night there was a severe sinking spell, followed by unconsciousness. That night peritonitis developed and from that time until death there was little hope he would survive.

Oliver H. P. Belmont was a son of the late August Belmont. The present August Belmont and Perry Belmont are his brothers.

Terminals Exempt.

Companies Not Subject to Intangible Assets Tax Statute.

Austin, June 10.—Assistant Attorney General Hawkins has given Comptroller Stephens a written opinion holding that although a terminal railroad company was incorporated under the provisions of title 94 of the revised statutes, yet if doing a strictly terminal business only, in contradistinction to a general railroad business, and does not originate or receive traffic on its own account, such corporation is not subject to the provisions of the intangible assets tax statute, but must pay an occupation tax measured by its gross receipts under provisions of chapter 18 of the acts of the special session of the Thirtieth legislature. The opinion is in response to a question submitted by the comptroller concerning the Dallas Terminal Railway and Union Depot company of Dallas.

In response to a question submitted by the secretary of state regarding the Rapid Transit Railway company, Metropolitan Street Railway company and Dallas Consolidated Electric Street Railway company, all of Dallas. Assistant Attorney General Hawkins holds in a written opinion that such corporations are not liable for a franchise tax prescribed by chapter 23 of the acts of the called session of the Thirtieth legislature, but that such corporations are within the operation and effect of and subject to occupation taxes measured by their gross receipts prescribed by chapter 18 of the acts of said special session.

Penitentiary Board's Report.

Austin, June 10.—The state penitentiary board held its monthly meeting here Wednesday. The monthly report of Superintendent Herring and the financial agent's report were approved. Superintendent Herring's report shows new convicts on hand May 1, 3,449; new ones received, 92; recaptured, 1; returned by sheriffs, 1; discharged, 58; pardoned, 5; escaped, 4; died, 4; on hand June 1, 3,571. The financial agent's report shows balance on hand June 1, \$14,084; receipts for month, \$67,546; disbursements, \$66,256.

Sheppard Surprised.

Austin, June 10.—Congressman Morris Sheppard, who is here, expressed himself as rather surprised at the endorsement of John Mitchell for vice-president by members of the state Democratic executive committee at Dallas. "I am not sure that he is a Democrat," said Mr. Sheppard, "and this should be ascertained before he is endorsed."

Indictment Defective.

Austin, June 10.—The court of criminal appeals reversed and dismissed the case of Philip Bryan, from Dallas. Defendant was convicted on charge of bigamy and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. The court says many questions are raised on the appeal, but that indictment is fatally defective, and therefore it becomes unnecessary if not improper to discuss them.

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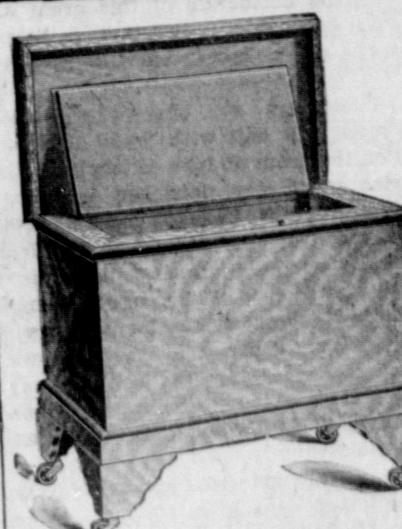
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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Eagle is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices indicated subj et to the Democratic Primaries July 25, 1908:

For Congress Sixth District:
RUFUS HARDY (re-election).

For Representative—55th District:
W. C. DAVIS (re-election).

For District Attorney—20th District:
J. FELTON LANE.

For County Judge:
A. G. BOARD. (re-election)

For Sheriff,
J. D. CONLEE,
GEO. R. WICKER,

For District Clerk:
H. O. JONES,
J. C. BENNETT
J. H. SUBER
A. A. DEAN

For County Attorney:
LAMAR BATHEA, (Re-election)

For County Superintendent:
T. W. PARKER, (Re-election)

For Tax Collector:
W. WIPPRECHT (re-election)
J. W. BARRON.

For Tax Assessor:
J. H. MCCOLLOUGH (re-election)

For County Treasurer:
JNO. M. LAWRENCE (re-election).

For County Clerk:
S. W. BUCHANAN.

For County Commissioner Prec. No. 4.
HENRY BERGER.

J. B. PRIDDY,

O. L. WILCOX.

For Commissioner Prec. No 5:
J. C. BLUME (re-election)

ARCHIE L. SMITH.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 2:
W. L. EDGE.

For Justice off Peace Prec. No. 4:
L. D. McGEE (Re-election)
W. GILLIE MITCHELL.

For Constable Precinct No. 4:
C. L. BAKER (re-election).

The man or woman who don't mind being bored is generally popular.

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The University of Texas turned out nearly 200 graduates in the various departments this year.

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PROGRESS OF INVESTIGATION.

Members of the Faculty, Seniors and Juniors Still at College—Several Witnesses Examined.

The investigation was resumed at the A. & M. College yesterday morning, and Judge Sam R. Scott of Waco appeared as attorney for President Harrington. Representatives of the alumni and ex-students' committee and the parents' committee were present, also a number of spectators from time to time during the day.

Members of the faculty and of the graduating and junior classes, or most of them, are still at College by agreement, and will likely remain several days, and will likely remain several days. The forenoon was occupied by a conclusion of the examination of Mr. Burmeister, the first witness called on Tuesday, and his son, a graduate of this year's class; also M. W. H. Ferneaux of Dallas and Mr. T. S. Jennings of Caldwell county, both parents of students.

The trend of the examination was as to the conditions at College, under the head of the thirteenth charge heretofore referred to, the witnesses introduced being those of the alumni and ex-students' committee.

Afternoon Session.

The investigation was continued along the same lines yesterday afternoon, and several students appeared as witnesses. The total number of witnesses examined yesterday was eleven. Nothing of a sensational character was developed by the testimony, which, it is stated, was along the same lines as in the other investigation yesterday afternoon.

No night sessions are being held by the board.

LIKELY TO FAVOR PLAN.

Farmers of State Take Kindly to Warehouse Method.

President Neill of the Farmers' union says many letters are being received at State headquarters commanding the warehouse system recommended by the conference held Monday.

The proposition was printed Saturday, and will at once be sent out to all the local unions in the State to be voted upon. It is certain that the proposition will receive practically unanimous support. The method has the virtue of being practical, and besides, has the prestige which attaches to any proposition President Neill should recommend to the union.

There are at present 323 warehouses in the State, which heretofore have acted independently. The plan outlined by the conference contemplates nothing less than consolidating all these warehouses into one big system. Daily, weekly and monthly reports upon the amount of cotton on hand and the condition of crops and the market will be received and sent out from all warehouses. A secret code will be formed whereby direct communications may be had over the public wires.

The agreement with the railroads, whereby sidings will be built to all warehouses situated conveniently to the main line, will allow the union managers to ship cotton with the utmost facility. A central selling agency will be established in Fort Worth, from which operations will be directed, and statistics filed. It will be possible to move any amount of cotton at any time.

Under the full rendition law the tax rolls of Williamson county show an increase in valuations of about \$31,000,000.

FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!

A practical demonstration will be made at 9 a. m. today opposite Haskell's Book Store, of the S. & S. Fire Proof Paint. Free.

One quarter block of ground and new five-room house in good neighborhood on east side of town. Price, \$1,000.00. Terms, one-fourth cash, and balance in one, two and three years, with 8 per cent interest. J. W. Battis.

FRIDAY AT 9 A. M.

Ladies, be at Walker's Five and Ten Cent Store for the big sale on tinware and useful things for the kitchen; the best values offered yet; on sale Friday at 9 o'clock sharp. 160

GOV. JOHNSON ADDRESSES GRADUATES.

Lawrence, Kan., June 10.—The thirty-fourth commencement exercises of the University of Kansas were held today and were of a most notable character. Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota delivered the address to the graduates.

BRYAN UNIVERSITY GRADUATES. Mr. Geo. M. Brandon, Jr., and Mr. Geo. G. Chance of this city graduated with the large class from the State university Tuesday; the former with the degree of A.B. and the latter C. E. The young men have made splendid records at school, and their friends at home share in the pleasure of their achievement.

TORRENTIAL RAIN.

Wind of Almost Cyclonic Velocity and Considerable Lightning.

Denison, June 10.—A torrential rain, accompanied by wind of almost cyclonic force, swept over the Denison section Wednesday morning. There was a terrific electrical disturbance also and people sought refuge in storm cellars. The rain, which descended for two hours, at times resembled a waterspout. Many citizens declare this the heaviest downpour of the year.

Reports from the surrounding section state corn, oats and cotton were leveled and beaten into the mud.

Leap From Windows.

For Worth, June 10.—Fire destroyed Buck Cooper's saloon and the North Fort Worth livery stable early Wednesday morning. Loss is \$10,000. People sleeping in the second story of the saloon were forced to leap from windows for their lives, as the building was wrapped in flames before the alarm was turned in. Several persons received injuries.

Three Hundred Poisoned.

Paris, June 10.—Three hundred persons, including Marquis de Dion, president of the Automobile club, were poisoned by ptomaine at a banquet of the Automobile club. Ptomaine poisoning is attributed to a dish of duck. One person is dead and many others are in a serious condition.

Gorgeous Affair.

Portland, Ore., June 10.—The Carnival of Roses was a gorgeous affair.

General Newton Weds.

Austin, June 10.—Adjutant General Newton was Wednesday united in marriage to Miss Annie Boswell Rumpel at the First Cumberland Presbyterian church.

Williams For Second Place.

Hattiesburg, Miss., June 10.—Resolutions instructing delegates to the state convention to support none but those in accord with Hon. W. J. Bryan were voted down in the Forrest county Democratic convention. At the same time resolutions advocating Hon. John Sharp Williams for second place on the national ticket were adopted unanimously.

Breaks Through Levee.

New Orleans, June 10.—A special from Grand Cane, La., says news reached there that Red river had broken through the levee near Westdale, submerging 25,000 acres of growing crops and drowning much stock. Westdale is in Red river parish about forty miles southeast of Shreveport.

Millers Meet.

Detroit, Mich., June 10.—Millers from all sections of the United States to the number of nearly 400 were present when the sixth annual convention of the Millers' National Federation was called to order here Wednesday.

Archbishop Assassinated.

Tiflis, June 10.—Archbishop Nikon of Georgia was assassinated at Tiflis Wednesday morning on a step of the synod building. His assailant is a revolutionist.

Shoots Himself to Death.

Mobile, June 10.—Worry over financial matters caused J. W. Pilkington to suicide.

Large Egg Receipts.

New York, June 10.—Egg receipts Tuesday were 34,557 cases.

Had Tried Electricity.

A benevolent gentleman attempted to converse with the motherly old lady who sat next to him in the railway carriage. He discovered that she was very deaf, and the conversation was established by shouting.

"You are very deaf, aren't you, madam?" ultimately bellowed he of the benevolence.

"I am so," was the reply, "and haven't been able to do a thing for it."

"Have you ever tried electricity?" shouted the kind hearted man.

"Yes," she said, nodding vigorously, "I was struck by lightning last summer."—London Graphic.

How She Felt.

Stella—So you kissed the young parson in the dark hall, thinking it was your brother? You must have felt awfully cheap when you discovered your mistake. Mabel—Cheap! Why, I felt like a Friday remnant at a Monday bargain sale.—Chicago News.

Foreign.

Doctor (after careful examination)—Some foreign substance is lodged in your eye. Dennis—Ol' knowed ut! That's what Ol' git f'r wurrakin' wid them Frenchmen!—Illustrated Bits.

Probably.

"The idea!" exclaimed Mrs. Kadley. "I wonder why that woman is watching me so?"

"Probably," replied her husband, "she's trying to find out why you are staring at her."—Exchange.

The Origin of "Parson."

"Parson" is from the Latin "persona," a person, and the person is the persona ecclesiac, or representative, of the church. The forms parson and person bear the same relation to each other as clark and clerk. From being pronounced parson the word has come to be so written. Blackstone in his "Commentaries" says:

"He is called 'parson' (persona) because by his person the church, which is an invisible body, is represented, and he is himself a body corporate in order to protect and defend the rights of the church which he represents."

"To parse a sentence" is to resolve it into its grammatical parts, and the verb is declared to have arisen from the interrogation "Pars?" — that is, "Quae pars orationis?" (What part of speech?) used by schoolmasters.

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Our entire 15c line in the season's best colorings and dainty patterns, now..... 12c

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Our complete line of 10c Lawns and Dimities in all colorings, at per yard..... 7¹/₂c

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Fine Groceries beyond criticism at a saving of household bills. Never mind "how we do it"—let it suffice that we do. Ever try a cup of our splendid Coffee or Tea? Not yet, but soon? Get our prices to-day.

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RAILROAD TIME CARD. H. & T. C. Schedule.

No. 3 North bound.....1:38 p.m.
No. 5 North bound.....12:46 a.m.
No. 2 South bound.....3:40 a.m.
No. 9 South bound.....2:48 a.m.
I. & G. N. Schedule.
No. 102 North bound.....12:54 p.m.
No. 101 South bound.....4:14 p.m.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS.

Eat at Buchanan's dt.
C. G. Walker visited Edge yesterday.
J. C. Cloud of Kurten was in the city yesterday.
George Skains came up from Houston yesterday.
Rev. B. C. Pfiffen of Marlin is visiting in this city.
Miss Clemmie Ward is visiting relatives in Ennis.
W. D. Sellers of Harvey was in the city yesterday.
Morgan Closs of Tabor was in the city yesterday.

M. S. Freeman of Harvey was in the city yesterday.
ed to Dallas yesterday after a visit to commencement.

C. A. Menke of Hempstead was in the city yesterday.
A. B. Carr, Jr., of Houston was in the city yesterday.

S. P. Jones of Walnut Springs was in the city yesterday.
E. U. Peters of Steep Hollow was in the city yesterday.

Rev. T. A. Searcy left yesterday for a visit to Grimes county.

B. C. Pittuck and Hal Moseley returned to Dallas yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dunlap of MIAMI can were in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bailey arrived from Calvert yesterday for a visit.

H. H. South continues seriously ill at the family home south of Bryan.

Bob Trant has been ill the past week, and is still unable to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fernaux and Misses Worthington and Irwin return.

L. S. Williams and A. P. Buchanan of Harvey were in the city yesterday.

Wanted—Second-hand safe; must be a bargain. Apply to Ed M. Sims.

The New Diana ribbon comb for the pompadour. 50c, at Coulter, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pate of Harvey called on the Eagle while in the city yesterday.

Rev. Wilhelm of Plantersville arrived yesterday and is the guest of Father Gleissner.

L. E. Trice, who has been here recently in the employ of Alonzo Carter, left last night for Ft. Worth.

Read about Wilson & Derden's Lace and Embroidery Slaughter Sale in their ad, bottom of this page.

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NEWS NUGGETS.

Speaker Cannon went home from Washington in a devil-wagon.

A movement against Governor Campbell has been started in Ellis county.

A hot race is expected in the 11th congressional district between Congressman Henry and would-be-congressman Hair.

J. B. Dismukes, who died last week in Williamson county, was married three times, each of his wives bearing him eleven children, making 33 in all, 29 of whom survive.

Valade is to have street cars run by gasoline.

Galveston is going to start a monthly steamship line to Panama and Jamaica.

The railroad bridge at Hempstead washed away just after a train had passed over it.

Mayor Ginnuth of Temple is conducting a campaign against cigarette smoking and other vices.

Calcasieu, the largest parish in Louisiana, has gone dry by a majority of nearly 3 to 1.

LOST—At College yesterday, plain Roman gold bracelet engraved "Berard." Reward for return to Eagle office.

Corpus Christi is to have a broom factory.

The State executive committee made no provision for the expenses of the primary in July. The only chance seems to be for the candidates to pay the freight.

As a result of present and prospective conditions the welding of the five Central American republics into one nation is predicted.

In his address before the alumni of the State university, Congressman Morris Shepard said the Texans of this generation of this generation are devastating their forests and allowing the floods to sweep the soil into the sea.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

The Eagle is authorized to announce Mr. S. W. Buchanan as a candidate for county clerk of Brazos county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries July 25. Mr. Buchanan was reared in Brazos county, and is probably known to as many people as any man in the county. He has been for many years a citizen of Bryan and engaged in the meat market and cattle business.

Mr. Buchanan is well qualified in every way for discharging efficiently the duties of the office, being competent, reliable and trustworthy, and experienced in matters of business. He has never before been a candidate for any office, and asks that his claims be given careful consideration at the hands of the voters, giving assurance of faithful and efficient service if honored with election to the office.

The Eagle presents the name of Mr. Buchanan with pleasure.

GONE TO PANAMA WITH CATTLE.

Prof. C. H. Alvord of the A. & M. College Commissioned to Make Purchases for the Government.

Prof. C. H. Alvord of the department of agriculture of the A. & M. College, on a late visit to San Antonio, carried out a commission from the government at Washington to purchase a herd of dairy cows for the hospital service in Panama, where the canal work is in progress. The cattle were brought and shipped to New Orleans in charge of Mr. Roy Royal of College. Prof. Alvord left College for New Orleans yesterday, and will go to Panama to deliver the herd to the government authorities.

Mrs. Alvord and other members of the family left to spend some months in Chicago.

WITH THE CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

Birmingham, Ala., June 10.—This was another interesting and busy day

for the thousands of Confederate veterans and their friends in attendance at the annual national encampment.

Informal reunions were numerous during the day and the features of entertainment were plentiful. The Battle

Abbey committee submitted its report this morning and at noon came the memorial services, which were of a most impressive character. Much interest is manifested in the afternoon proceedings, which includes the reports of important committees, and also the election of officers for the year.

When the business has been disposed of the early evening will witness a grand final parade under the auspices of the Sons of Veterans.

Hundreds of additional visitors are expected to reach the city tomorrow morning in time to witness the grand reunion parade of veterans, which will be the last big feature of the gathering.

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MR. ROGER Q. ASTIN ENTERTAINS

One of the loveliest social affairs of the commencement week was the dance given last night by Mr. Roger Q. Astin at the Elks' parlors, complimentary to members of the house party entertained by Mr. Astin's mother, Mrs. O. H. Astin, during commencement, the party including Miss Heard, Miss Nina Heard and Miss Elizabeth Harrison of McKinney, Miss Bessie Seale of Beachley, and Mr. J. Ed Rhea of McKinney. A Houston orchestra supplied music and about seventy-five couples were present. Mr. Rhea and Miss Nina Heard led the grand march. Punch was served by Misses Lila Adams, Dorcas Parker and Madeline Hanaway.

ELECTED ASSISTANT DIRECTOR.

Mr. B. C. Pittuck, who has been here this week from Dallas, attending the A. & M. commencement, has been elected assistant director of the experiment station of the A. & M. College of Oklahoma, and will enter upon his duties July 1. Mr. J. H. Connell, formerly of the Texas A. & M. College, recently entered upon his duties as president of the Oklahoma A. & M. Mr. Pittuck has since his graduation held important positions with the Texas A. & M., and the Louisiana agricultural college at Baton Rouge, and is well qualified for his new position.

LEITER-WILLIAMS WEDDING.

Washington, D. C., June 10.—The marriage of Miss Juliette Williams, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. John R. Williams, to Mr. Joseph Leiter of Chicago and Washington took place today at noon at the apartment of the bride's parents, in the Connecticut.

Owing to recent deaths in the families of both the contracting parties the wedding was celebrated with the greatest simplicity, less than a score of people witnessing the ceremony, which was performed by an uncle of the bride. The only attendant was the small sister of the bride, Miss Frances Williams.

MISS ROOSEVELT A BRIDES-MAID.

New York, June 10.—St. Mark's Church, West Orange, N. J., was the scene of a fashionable wedding today, when Miss Georgiana Harding Farr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Powers Farr of this city, was married to Mr. Fletcher Harper Sibley, of Rochester. The church was crowded with the wealth and fashion of New York, Rochester, Washington and other cities. One of the bride's attendants was Miss Ethel Roosevelt, daughter of the president.

The Eagle learns that Mr. T. R. Batte, Jr., has been employed to survey the district in the Brazos bottom, which will be affected by the proposed thirty miles of levee on the Burleson county side, and he will begin the work Monday, determining the area in which the election will be held. This work is preliminary to appearing before the Burleson county commissioners and asking for the order for the election.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of Bethel community will give an ice cream supper on Friday night, June 19th, at the residence of Rev. G. A. Foster Benefit Buckner Orphan Home. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

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FOR Commencement.

Sicilian Coats
\$3.50 to \$8.00

Serge Coats
\$3.00 to \$10.00

Linen Suits
\$3.00 to \$7.50

Linen Pants
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BIG DAM IS COMPLETED.

Phoenix, Ariz., June 10.—Granite Reef diversion dam, an auxiliary unit of the Salt river reclamation project, is completed and ready for opening. The dam is located twenty-two miles above this city and cost approximately \$250,000.

The structure, which is of concrete, is nearly 1,300 feet long, and contains, including the masonry for the sluice and regulating gates, about 40,000 cubic yards of concrete. The Granite Reef dam will divert all the water used on both sides of the river, including the storage supply from Roosevelt dam, which is the chief feature of the Salt river project. About 160,000 acres of land in the neighborhood of Phoenix will be supplied with water diverted by the Granite Reef dam, and when the great Roosevelt dam is completed several thousand horsepower will be developed and utilized to pump water from underground sources to supplement the surface supply and increase the irrigable area by 50,000 acres. The general elevation of the irrigable lands is 1,000 to 1,300 feet above sea level.

The valley is traversed by the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific railroads, which connect it with towns of Arizona, the Pacific coast cities and eastern fruit markets. The soil is an alluvial deposit of great fertility and adapted to the cultivation of a wide variety of crops, including those of the temperate and subtropical zones. The lands are mainly in private ownership, but these are many large holdings, which must be subdivided and sold to actual settlers.

WILL VOTE ON PROHIBITION.

The state democratic executive committee at its meeting in Dallas decided to submit both the question of state prohibition and that of local option to the voters in the primaries. In other words a man may vote for or against the submission of an amendment for state prohibition, or for or against laws looking to the betterment of the local option system.

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MICKLE MAKES REPORT.

PLIGHT OF KANSAS CITY.

Floral Parade a Most Magnificent Sight.

Birmingham, June 10.—The attendance of the second day's proceedings of the United Confederate Veterans' reunion was much larger than the first day.

Major General William E. Mickle, adjutant general and chief of staff of the United Confederate Veterans, made public his report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1907. In this report General Mickle comments favorably on the liberality of officers and camps in paying their dues. He mentioned with gratification the addition of new camps and the revival of old ones, and declared that he is greatly pleased to note that a larger percentage of camps paid their dues than ever before in the history of the organization. The receipts for the year amounted to \$6,490.21 and the disbursements were \$6,353.42.

General Mickle referred in his report to the many veterans who have answered their last roll call, and mentions among these General Stephen D. Lee, Brigadier General John T. Morgan, Brigadier General Edmund W. Pettus, Brigadier General Ellison Capers, Colonel Andrew R. Blakely and James R. Randall, the author of "Maryland, My Maryland."

The floral parade Wednesday afternoon was one of the most gorgeous affairs ever witnessed in the south. There were nearly three miles of automobiles, carriages, hacks, buggies and other vehicles and they were gaily decked. The procession wended its way along the principal business streets and the sidewalks along the route were thronged with spectators.

DUE TO WIND STORM.

Thirty Buildings at New Orleans Prey of the Flames.

New Orleans, June 10.—A freak windstorm was Tuesday night responsible for destroying about thirty buildings in the uptown residence section of Magazine, Berlin and Milan streets. Simultaneously with the outbreak of the fire a high wind struck the city. It blew the fire within a few minutes nearly all over the block of its origin and swept it across Magazine street into another block. A chemical engine house stood a few yards from the fire's origin, but it was no check to the blaze.

Several small stores were destroyed, along with residences, and the loss is estimated at between \$100,000 and \$150,000. The block bounded by Magazine, Milan, Berlin and Camp streets was nearly all destroyed.

Another block bounded by Magazine, Milan, Berlin and Constance streets was about half destroyed.

HUNDREDS HOMELESS.

Over Forty Buildings Destroyed and Man Burns to Death.

New Orleans, June 10.—Over 500 people are homeless, one death has been recorded and a property loss of over \$200,000 has been brought about as a result of two fires which destroyed several blocks of stores and residences in different parts of New Orleans Tuesday night and Wednesday.

The first fire destroyed a score or more residences and several stores in the neighborhood of Berlin and Magazine streets. John Jung was burned to death.

The second fire, at Delachais street and Louisiana avenue, destroyed twelve cottages, occupied principally by negroes.

Storm and Cloudburst.

Guthrie, June 10.—A terrific wind-storm, accompanied by a cloudburst, struck this city Tuesday causing at least \$20,000 property damage. It is believed no lives were lost, and none were seriously injured. The state house, lone hotel, Masonic temple and Central high school were partly uninhabited. Many houses were moved from their foundations, several collapsing without, however, hurting the occupants.

Opened Very Dull.

New York, June 10.—Opening dealings of stocks Tuesday were very dull.

Much Lumber Consumed.

Chihuahua, Mex., June 10.—The immense yard of the Sierra Madre Lumber company was destroyed by fire Wednesday morning, entailing \$60,000 loss.

The Locke anti-racing bill in the house was passed Tuesday to its third reading.

Corruption Fund Alleged.

Baton Rouge, June 10.—Charges that a \$50,000 corruption fund exists for use in saving track gambling in Louisiana from adverse legislation were ordered investigated by Governor Sanders. To this end he ordered a concurrent resolution in the chambers of the assembly for the creation of a special investigation committee. He also ordered a special session of the grand jury to investigate the matter. The charges were made by a newspaper.

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